**Pacific Rim Undergraduate Experience (PRIME)**

**PRIME 2015 Final Application**

**UCSD Academic Internship Program Summer Research Project 2015**

**Supported by NSF, Calit2, The Pacific Rim Application and Grid Middleware Assembly (PRAGMA), Private Donations and Host Institutions**

**PRIME 2015 is limited to only two host sites in Japan (NAIST and Osaka University)**  
In order to ensure the high quality of the participants, we are requiring that applicants apply for and receive a UCSD research scholarship to support their PRIME internship.   
More information regarding the scholarships can be found at the following link: <https://students.ucsd.edu/finances/financial-aid/types/scholarships/urs/index.html>

**A. PRIME Application Summary Information-** Please complete all application materials and forward to Teri Simas (ucsdprime@gmail.com) via email by **Friday, 20 Feb 2015 at 4pm**.

**1. Personal details**

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| Last Name |  |
| First Name, Middle Initial |  |
| Student ID number |  |
| Address |  |
| City, State and Zip Code |  |
| Phone Number |  |
| UCSD e-mail address |  |
| Date of Birth, Age |  |

**2. Permanent Contact Information**

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| Permanent Address Line |  |
| City and State |  |
| Zip Code/Country |  |
| Telephone |  |
| Personal e-mail address |  |

**3. Emergency Contact Information**

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| --- | --- |
| Name |  |
| Relationship |  |
| Day Phone |  |
| Evening Phone |  |

**4. Statement of Eligibility**

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| Place of Birth (city, state, country) |  |
| US Citizenship or Permanent Resident, and Passport No. |  |
| Cumulative G.P.A. on a 4.0 scale |  |
| GPA in Major on a 4.0 scale |  |
| Full Time Student? |  |
| Major(s) |  |
| Minor (s) |  |
| Class standing when program begins (e.g. sophomore, …) |  |
| Expected Date of Graduation (month, year) |  |

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**5. UCSD and Host Mentor Information**

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| UCSD Mentor Name |  |
| Host Mentor Name |  |
| Host Institution |  |

**6. Professional References**

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| --- | --- | --- |
|  | **Reference 1** | **Reference 2** |
| Name |  |  |
| Mailing Address |  |  |
| Phone Number |  |  |
| E-mail address (if possible) |  |  |
| How do you know the references? |  |  |

References will only be contacted after an interview. Please list individuals who can comment on your activities in a professional setting, e.g. as a volunteer, an intern, a counselor, or a job.

**7. Participation Agreement**

Do you agree to participate in all pre-departure Orientation Sessions (Spring 2015) and and Re-entry Workshop to be held during Fall Quarter 2015?

\_\_\_\_Yes \_\_\_\_No. Note that these sessions are **mandatory**.

Do you agree to devote at least four hours per week in Spring Quarter 2015 preparing for the research experience? \_\_\_\_Yes \_\_\_\_No.

Failure to meet these commitments may result in loss of position, funding, and future certification as PRIME participant.

**B. Personal Statement**

The personal statement should address "why" you are interested in the program, what you hope to achieve from this experience, and what your long- term professional plans are. The statement would include any relevant background experience. Remember that this statement often serves as your writing sample; please make sure that it is well written (500 words or less), edited and spell checked.

**C. Proposed Set of Activities**

Please provide a short description of your proposed set of activities. This should include a rationale for the project, possible (desired) outcomes, and approaches to achieve the outcomes. In addition, this should include a plan for the Spring Quarter including what background you need to gain, what you will do to prepare for the international experience, and a plan to discuss the project progress with host scientist’s lab.

**D. CV**

Please provide a copy of your CV. For example resumes and cvs see http://career.ucsd.edu/undergraduates/prepar-resume-covlet/index.html

***In addition, please do not forget the following items:***

**E.  Letters of Agreement   
Letters should be sent to: Teri Simas (ucsdprime@gmail.com)**

* **E.1.  Letter or note agreeing to mentor student from UCSD mentor (the UCSD mentor should indicate agreement of the host mentor to work with the student).**

**F.Transcripts: Reviewed via Student Link**